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Filed: June 29, 2001

For: Method and System to Integrate
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a Database Server With
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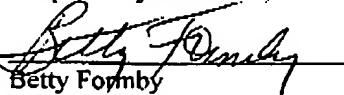
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In response to the Office Action dated February 10, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

A listing of the claims starts on page 4.

Remarks begin on page 10.